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FROM JOSEPH EDER, DIRECTOR, EUROPEAN BRANCH, USGAO

E.O. 11652: N/A
TAGS: AGAO, EWWT, UK
SUBJ: GAO REVIEW "NEED FOR MANDATORY SEA LANES IN MARINE APPROACHES
TO U.S. PORTS"

REF: STATE 082645

1. GAO IS CONCERNED WITH THE NEED FOR BRINGING ORDER TO THE
FLOW OF SEA TRAFFIC APPROACHING OUR SHORS THROUGH THE MEDIUM
OF VESSELL ROUTING SCHEMES OR SEA LANES.

2. FOR PURPOSES OF COMPARISON, GAO IS SPECIFICALLY INTERESTED
IN OBTAINING INFORMATION ABOUT THE SURVEILLANCE SCHEME FOR THE
DOVER STRAIT. THE TYPE OF INFORMATION WE WOULD LIKE TO OBTAIN
DEALS WITH INTENT, OPERATION, CONTROL, VOLUME, COMPLIANCE, AND
EFFECT.

3. WE WOULD LIKE TO MEET WITH US AND BRITISH OFFICIALS
KNOWLEDGEABLE IN OR RESPONSIBLE FOR THIS SCHEME. THE US
COAST GUARD HAS PROVIDED US WITH ONE SPECIFIC NAME AND
ORGANIZATION. WE WOULD APPRECIATE YOUR ASSISTANCE IN
MAKING ARRANGEMENTS TO MEET WITH HIM. HE IS COMMANDER
JOHN PATON, DEPARTMENT OF TRADE.

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4. THE REVIEW TEAM FROM OUR EUROPEAN BRANCH OFFICE
WILL INCLUDE MR. JOSEPH KELLEY, ASSISTANT DIRECTOR,
MR. LEO LA MOTTE, AUDIT MANAGERR, MR. CRAIG RUSSELL,
SITE SENIOR, AND TEAM MEMBER MR. DAVID KREER. WE
ANTICIPATE THAT OUR REVIEW EFFORT IN LONDON WILL
STTART JUNE 13 AND TAKE ABOUT ONE WEEK.

5. WE DO NOT REQUIRE ASSISTANCE IN OBTAINING HOTEL RESERVATIONS. ARRIVAL TIMES WILL BE CONFIRMED BY TELEPHONE.

6. THE DIRECTOR, EUROPEAN BRANCH, USGAO, HEREBY CERTIFIES THAT THE FOLLOWING LISTED STAFF MEMBERS OF USGAO WHO WILL PARTICIPATE IN THIS REVIEW HAVE BEEN GRANTED TOP SECRET SECURITY CLEARANCES FOR OFFICIAL

PURPOSES ON THE BASIS OF FULL FIELD INVESTIGATIONS CONDUCTED BY THE US CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION UNDER PROVISIONS OF EXECUTIVE ORDER NUMBER 10450. THIS CERTIFICATION IS NOT TO BE HONORED UNLESS THE EMPLOYEE NAMED PRESENT OFFICIAL US GENERAL ACCOUNTING OFFICE CREDENTIALS. JOSEPH E. KELLEY, BORN JAN 27, 1935, CLEARANCE DATE MAY 12, 1971. LEO L. LA MOTTE, BORN OCT 27, 1936, CLEARANCE DATE SEPT 30, 1975. ROBERT C. RUSSELL, BORN MARCH 5, 1945, CLEARANCE DATE SEPT 20, 1972. DAVID W. KREER BORN SEPT 5, 1946, CLEARANCE DATE JUNE 30, 1972.

7. IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS, PLEASE CONTACT MR. LA MOTTE OR MR. RUSSELL THROUGH THE AMERICAN CONSULATE GENERAL IN FRANKFURT, EXTENSION 326/327. PLEASE SEND CONFIRMATION OF RECEIPT OF THIS TELEGRAM TO GAO FRANKFURT. LEHMANN

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